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10. Modular multiple connection strap for cable connections, comprising a one-piece housing made of plastic with a plurality of modular spaced and open chambers on the longitudinal side for inserting respectively one contact assembly, characterized in that the connection strap is a through strap or a separating strap or a switching strap, in that the contact assemblies (3) are through contacts that can be converted to switching contacts by separating a web (6) that connects the inside ends of the tongues (4) of a contact assembly (3) into separating contacts or by inserting an insulating separator or through deformation.

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11. Modular multiple connection strap according to claim 10, characterized in that the chambers (2) in the area of a web (6) that connects the tongues (4) of a contact assembly (3) on the inside end are provided with an opening for temporarily accommodating a insulation-piercing connecting device.

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12. Modular multiple connection strap according to claim 10, characterized in that the chambers (2) are provided in the area of the contact locations (8) of a contact assembly (3) with guide means for inserting an insulation separator.

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13. Modular multiple connection strap according to claim 10, characterized in that the contact locations (8) of a contact assembly are laterally inclined on the side, such that if a plug connector is inserted, it touches only the edges of the contact locations.